

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the Title of the Invention from the PCT Application with the following new title:

**METHOD OF MANUFACTURING OXIDE SUPERCONDUCTIVE WIRE.**

Please replace paragraph starting at page 3, lines 8-14, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A method of manufacturing an oxide superconductive wire according to the present invention includes the step of positioning a metal tape in a position at a distance of at most 100 mm from a target for generating an oxide, and the only one step of forming an oxide superconductive layer on the metal tape with one set of the target and laser light using a vapor deposition method while transferring the metal tape at a transfer speed of at least 5 m/h with keeping the distance between the metal tape and the target of at most 100 mm.